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MARGINAL COLUMN
By SRAYA SHAPIRO

THIS Tel Aviv of ours — one hardly feels inclined to be sentimental about a new town, but old Tel Avivians—in spite of themselves—often are in an expansionist mood. It always was so. You will hear that there were highly important political reasons for it — there was the imminent danger of Jaffa and the expansionist mood of the town-planners of that mother-city.

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BE that as it may, the founding fathers of Tel Aviv have always tried to think big. And when the former Mayor of Tel Aviv, Mr. Israel Rokach, was faced with fierce opposition criticism, he used to counter: "Tel Aviv is a baby, it cannot have all the facilities of a London or a Paris. But just wait."

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NOW, the highly important political reasons are dead. If there is a political reason for keeping Tel Aviv big, it is an internal political reason — for the General Zionists, who are nominally in control of this town, believe that they have a good case in Tel Aviv. Otherwise, it is high time somebody tried to analyze what is happening in the area in order to propose a plan.

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THAT the town has doubled its population during the past ten years is rather a pity, if the needs for the dispersal of population are taken into account. But the usual forces of agglomeration of people in towns are valid in Israel as much as in other countries — perhaps even more so because Jews in Europe used to live in the main cities, because they love light and company, and seem anxious to enjoy the best of life while conditions permit.

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THE growth of Tel Aviv has been sporadic. All the master plans produced at great cost after painful research rest in peace in the dusty morgue of the Municipal Engineering Department. Vested interests have been much more powerful than the mild dreams of the planners. Tel Aviv is used to doing things haphazardly. When the town opens a traffic line, it narrows suddenly just when the driver feels grateful to the authorities for a good deed. The town management is always torn by political clamour at the weekly meetings — and the Tel Aviv Municipality has as a tradition that meetings should be long and political. When the elders of Tel Aviv want to arrange things, they do it in committee. For in the plenary session, anything proposed by the Coalition is liable to be violently decried by the Opposition, and any suggestion of the Opposition is bound to be sternly opposed by the Coalition.

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A STRIKING example of thwarted opportunities to think straight is experienced daily by those residents who must travel to Jaffa. When Jaffa's population was hostile, there was only one direct link between Tel Aviv and that city. After the War of Independence, part of Manshiya Quarter was demolished. But nobody in the engineering department of Tel Aviv was strong enough to suggest and implement a demolition plan which would make the link simple and easy.

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UNDOUBTEDLY, the present organization of Tel Aviv is faulty and antiquated. The Municipality, torn by party quibbles, is incapable of proceeding with a strong will in implementing over-all policy. Perhaps, too, much of the charm which Tel Avivians find in their town would be lost if such strong action were attempted by the Municipality. However, charm or not, municipal affairs have grown so big and so complicated that they cannot be solved in a routine fashion.

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TWO courses of action seem to be indicated. One is to dissolve Tel Aviv into three or four small local councils, and merge the whole area from Yarkon to Bat Yam into an organization similar to the London County Council. The other is to provide Tel Aviv with a town manager, on the pattern adopted by some American cities, or to try a combination of both systems.

Tel Aviv, September 11.

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Marshals Called As Little Rock Ruling Awaited

WASHINGTON (UPI). — The Justice Department on Wednesday prepared to mobilize U.S. Marshals to enforce integration at Little Rock's Central High School if the Supreme Court so orders and local peace officers cannot cope with mob violence.

Attorney General William P. Rogers late Tuesday made this clear when he disclosed he had written the city manager of Little Rock, Arkansas, that "careful plans should be made now by responsible officials to prevent disorder or violence in the event" of a Supreme Court order for integration.

In a companion letter to the Little Rock school board, Mr. Rogers promised the full help of the Federal Government if the Board seeks injunctions against possible troublemakers.

Rival Claims

The High Court will hear arguments on Thursday (today) on the merits of the Little Rock school board's appeal for a 2½ year delay in school desegregation at Central High.

The National Association for the Advancement of Coloured People filed a brief Wednesday telling the Supreme Court that further delay in admitting Negroes to the school was unthinkable.

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Six Africans Killed In N. Rhodesian Riot

LUSAKA, Northern Rhodesia (Reuter). — Six Africans were killed and 11 injured by police on Wednesday in a riot in the Owembe valley of Northern Rhodesia, it was announced here.

Africans rioted over an order to villagers living near the Zambesi Valley to live on higher ground to make way for a lake formed by the Kariba hydro-electric dam project.

U.N. to Discuss Fishing Dispute

REYKJAVIK (Reuter). — Iceland will propose that the forthcoming U.N. General Assembly resolve her fishing dispute with Britain, a Foreign Ministry communique announced on Wednesday.

In London, the Admiralty said that the Icelandic gunboat Odinn tried to board the British trawler King Sol on Tuesday night off the northwest coast of Iceland.

The King Sol is reported to have rammed the Odinn.

The Admiralty said the Odinn went alongside the trawler and "grappled with her." The Icelanders tried to Board the trawler, which "went full speed ahead."

Dag Fails to Secure U.A.R. Moderation

Mr. Dag Hammarskjold on Wednesday conferred with Lebanese leaders as it became increasingly clear to observers both in Beirut and Amman that the U.N. Secretary-General had been unable during his earlier round of talks in Cairo, to persuade the U.A.R. to moderate its attitude, the B.B.C.'s Arabic service reported.

A U.N. spokesman in Beirut, quoted by the B.B.C., gave indirect confirmation of this when he said that Mr. Hammarskjold's mission "had been facing great obstacles." It was clear that there was no question of British and U.S. troops withdrawing from Jordan and the Lebanon until the U.A.R. ends its incitement campaign, the broadcast added.

The spokesman said that the U.N. Secretary-General would present his report on his Middle East mission to the General Assembly between September 25 and 30.

On Wednesday morning the U.N. Secretary General, accompanied by Dr. Ralph Bunche, met Lebanese acting Foreign Minister Albert Mu'heibir. Afterwards, Beirut radio reported, Mu'heibir told correspondents that among the subjects discussed were Lebanon's economic situation, security affairs and inter-Arab relations, with special emphasis on relations between Lebanon and the U.A.R.

Sees Chamoun and Shehab

The radio reported that, later in the day, Mr. Hammarskjold saw President Camille Chamoun and President-elect Gen. Shehab.

Amman Radio announced that a special session of the Jordan Cabinet was held on Wednesday afternoon to review the results of the talks between Mr. Hammarskjold and Foreign Minister Samir Rifa'i. ANA said that the Cabinet interrupted its session and went to the Royal Palace to consult King Hussein. Afterwards Rifa'i received the British and Turkish Ambassadors.

Cairo's Saut el Arab — Voice of the Arabs — on Wednesday night lashed out against Britain, the U.S., King Hussein and Chamoun in one of its most violent broadcasts in recent weeks.

It gave prominence to a report about "the cruelties of British imperialism perpetrated against the natives of British Somaliland."

It also said that U.S. Secretary of State Dulles was "only another Anthony Eden, who would meet the same fate as Eden, despite the support he enjoys from his loyal agents, Hussein and Chamoun."

The broadcast added that Britain and the U.S., "together with their agents in Jordan and Lebanon, are doing their utmost to put obstacles in the way of Mr. Hammarskjold."

Bunche May Be U.N. Envoy in M.E.

Dr. Ralph Bunche, Assistant to the U.N. Secretary-General, may be appointed as the U.N. Roving Ambassador in the Middle East, the Jordan daily, "El Jihad" said Wednesday.

Dr. Bunche flew to Beirut unexpectedly on Tuesday to join Mr. Dag Hammarskjold in his talks with Lebanese leaders.

The paper added that Jordan had agreed to Mr. Hammarskjold's proposal to station in Amman a permanent U.N. representative with the rank of ambassador to report to the U.N. on the radio and press war between the Arab countries and the infiltration of men and arms from one to another.

Jordan's agreement was made conditional on the acceptance of a similar arrangement in Cairo and Damascus.

U.K. Won't Admit Egyptian Claim

CAIRO (Reuter). — Abdul El Amary, Egyptian delegate to the adjourned Anglo-Egyptian financial talks in Rome, said here on Wednesday that Britain had refused to compromise over Egyptian demands for reparations for the 1956 Suez landings.

He said the talks were adjourned on Tuesday to enable delegates to consult their governments. No date for resumption had been fixed.

R.N. Denies Report On Egyptian Subs

VALETTA (Reuter). — Naval headquarters Malta on Wednesday denied that Admiral Sir Charles Lambe, British Commander-in-Chief of Allied Forces in the Mediterranean, told a press conference in Algiers the previous day that six Egyptian submarines were off Cyprus.

A spokesman stated that what the Admiral said was that, as far as he knew Egypt had received in all six Soviet submarines. The spokesman added that Admiral Lambe made no reference to Cyprus.

Eban Sees Dulles on Forms Of American Aid to Israel

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Ambassador Abba Eban conferred with Secretary of State Dulles in Washington on Wednesday. It was understood in Jerusalem that their discussions were specific in nature and covered such matters as the various forms of assistance and aid required by Israel.

In preparation for the meeting, the Foreign Minister, Mrs. Meir, received the U.S. Ambassador, Mr. E. B. Lawson at her Tel Aviv office on Tuesday.

It is pointed out in Jerusalem that economic relations between the two countries are no less important than political issues, and it can be assumed that the former were touched upon.

(UPI quotes diplomatic sources in Washington as saying it would be some time before the detailed negotiations on Israel's requests are completed, but they expressed confidence that the required aid would eventually be supplied.)

Mrs. Meir is scheduled to leave for the U.N. General Assembly next Wednesday or Thursday. She will be accompanied by her political secretary, Mr. Mordechai Gazit.

The National Religious Front has decided that its representative among the six Knesset Members who will serve as advisers to the Israel delegation will be Mr. Ya'acov Greenberg. Although the Mapam representative has not been announced, it appears that Mr. Ya'acov Hazan will be chosen.

The Assembly opens on the second day of Rosh Hashana, September 16. If the President of the Assembly is elected on that day, the Israel delegation will not be present to vote.

It appears that a compromise candidate might win the election for the Assembly Presidency, and signs point to Mr. Koca Popovic, the Yugoslav Foreign Minister. As long as the Lebanese Foreign Minister, Mr. Malik, stays in the running, he will apparently have the backing of the American bloc. The Russians and Afro-Asians will probably support the Arab League candidate, Foreign Minister Mahgoub, of Sudan. Also running are the Peruvian delegate, Mr. Belaunde, and a number of Europeans.

Jordan Seeks $40m. In U.S. Military Aid

NEW YORK (INA). — The New York "Herald Tribune," in a report from Amman, said on Wednesday that Jordan has asked the U.S. Government for $40m. worth of additional military aid.

The request, which includes funds for re-equipping and expanding the Jordan army, as well as transport artillery and jet fighters, has been forwarded to Washington where it is being considered, the report added.

New Envoys to S. America, E. Europe

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A number of changes in the diplomatic service are expected to take effect in the near future. Among them are:

Mr. Eliezer Doron, Director of the Cultural Division of the Foreign Ministry, to Chile as Israel's first resident Ambassador there;

Mr. A. Levavi, Assistant Director-General, to Buenos Aires in October as Ambassador;

Mr. Nathan Peled, Mapam political secretary, to be Minister to Bulgaria;

Mr. Haim Raphael, deputy head of the Foreign Services Inspectorate, to Sydney, Australia, as Consul.

Important changes are expected later in major posts. The Ambassador to Moscow, Aluf Yosef Avidar, will probably be the first in the Big Power capitals to return home. Mr. Eliahu Sasson, Ambassador to Rome, is said to be expecting to return and to retire from the service. Ambassador Abba Eban will be leaving his post, but probably not before the Spring of 1959, in order to stand for election to the Knesset. Ambassador Ya'acov Tzur in Paris and Ambassador Eliahu Elath in London are also expected to be returning home after their long periods of service abroad.

Greek King Says Limit Reached

BERNE (Reuter). — King Paul of Greece said here on Wednesday that his country had "come to the extreme limits of its concessions" on the Cyprus issue.

"My Government cannot be deaf to the great complaints and imperious calls of 430,000 Greeks who call for their freedom and the right of self-determination," he said.

King Paul was speaking at an official meeting held in his honour by the Swiss Government on the first day of his four day state visit to Switzerland.

The Governor of Cyprus, Sir Hugh Foot, returned to the island by air on Wednesday after talks with British Government leaders.

A Greek Cypriot community spokesman said he had no reason to feel optimistic on the outcome of Sir Hugh's mission.

The spokesman said Britain was obviously intent on implementing her partnership plan with Turkish support "despite its rejection by Greeks who form four-fifths of the population."

Makarios Pledges Support for Arabs

ATHENS, (Reuter). — Archbishop Makarios, exiled religious and political leader of the Greek Cypriots, on Wednesday night expressed his people's gratitude for the Arab League's decision to support their claim for self-determination.

In a cable to the League's Secretary-General in Cairo, the Archbishop assured him of the Cypriot people's support for Arab nationalism, "which is an element for peace in the Middle East."

Defecting Chinese Pilots Offered Gold

TAIPEI (UPI).—Gen. (Tiger) Wang Shu-ming, Chief of the Nationalist General Staff, on Wednesday offered Chinese Communist pilots up to 4,000 ounces of gold—and a free university education — if they would defect to Formosa with a Soviet-built MIG.

The pegged price of 4,000 ounces of gold is $144,000, but it brings considerably more on the black market.

Russia Claims Ability To Reach 1,000m. Degrees

GENEVA (Reuter). — Russia claimed on Wednesday that temperatures of up to 1,000m. degrees were expected to be achieved in machines such as "Gora," Russia's latest thermonuclear research device.

The claim is 10 times the temperature British thermonuclear scientists say they expect from the second model of Zeta to be built in two or three years' time.

Both Gora and Zeta help release unlimited power from hydrogen in controlled conditions.

The Russian claim was made during a film showing in which the commentator said it was expected that this temperature would be achieved and held for one to 10 seconds.

The film, in colour, had clearly been prepared some time ago, according to observers. It showed shots of the Gora machine now working in Russia.

British scientists said Russia had made no claims of research results from the present Gora and there was nothing yet on which to evaluate the new claim.

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22 Die in Two Air Crashes

Ten persons were killed on Wednesday aboard a Dutch Navy plane which crashed and caught fire at Abadan, in the Persian Gulf.

The plane, on a flight from Dutch New Guinea to Holland, ran into a heavy storm. Teheran airport officials said. The plane landed at Abadan with one of its two engines damaged and with a leaking fuel tank.

After minor repairs, it took off again, but crashed and burned three kilometres from the airport.

Twelve airmen were killed on Tuesday when a U.S. Air Force C 47 transport plane carrying 17 persons crashed and burned shortly after taking off from Elmendorf Air Force base, in Alaska.

Sleeping Sickness Claims 2,000 Deaths

TOKYO (UPI). — The unofficial death toll soared past 2,000 on Wednesday in a violent sleeping sickness (encephalitis) epidemic now sweeping through Japan and the Republic of Korea.

The official death toll stood at 1,869 and the number of cases at 6,869 in the two nations, but official figures were nearly three weeks old in some cases.

US Plans to Land Chiang Men, Arms on Quemoy

China Charges Air Violations

The U.S. was reported on Wednesday night to be preparing an amphibious landing to place Nationalist troops and supply reinforcements on the beaches of Quemoy within 24 hours.

The N.B.C. correspondent in Taipeh, Cecil Brown, quoting "unimpeachable sources," said the U.S. Navy would ignore the Communist-imposed 12-mile sea limit and sail directly under the muzzles of the Communist guns to break the blockade of the island.

He said Gen. Chiang Kai-shek had called for American support because his own navy could not break the blockade, and the U.S. command on the spot had notified Washington that such an operation was necessary.

Hitherto American escorts have been provided only to within a few miles of Quemoy so as to avoid treading on the toes of the Chinese who have declared a 12-mile limit off its coasts.

Earlier on Wednesday, Communist China charged that U.S. military planes had intruded over Chinese airspace on two occasions. It issued a new "severe warning" about the alleged incidents, which were described as "a deliberate war provocation."

Communist guns ringing Quemoy remained silent for most of Wednesday and the lull coincided with a temporary holdup, due to the bad weather, of Nationalist convoys running to the threatened offshore islands.

The official Nationalist news agency reported that more than 200,000 Chinese Communist troops have been massed in the Amoy area "with the intention of invading the offshore islands."

The U.S. International Co-operation Administration has announced that $120,000 would be set aside to help civilians on the Quemoy and Matsu island. The money would be used to build shelters, provide medical equipment and establish emergency food stocks and supply tents for the homeless. *(UPI, Reuter)*

Ike to Broadcast On Crisis Tonight

President Eisenhower is to make a nationwide television and radio broadcast on Thursday night (tonight) on the Far East crisis, White House Press Secretary James Hagerty announced on Wednesday.

He refused to say whether there had been an emergency development in the Formosa crisis which had led to the President's decision to broadcast to the nation.

Communist China's representative at the proposed Sino-American Ambassadorial talks, Wang Ping-nan, left Peking on Wednesday for Poland after five days of consultations with his Government, Peking radio reported.

Wang, who is Ambassador to Poland, is expected to meet his U.S. counterpart, Mr. Jacob Beam, the U.S. Ambassador in Warsaw.

Australian Premier R. G. Menzies said in Canberra on Wednesday that his country has no automatic obligation to assist the U.S. in the event of conflict arising from the American commitment to defend the Chinese offshore islands.

Asked at a press conference whether the Anzus Pact—between Australia, New Zealand and the U.S. — might oblige Australia to help defend the offshore islands, Mr. Menzies replied: "I do not think so." *(Reuter)*

AFTER MIDNIGHT

Indian Prime Minister Nehru said Wednesday night he thought that the two days of talks he has had with the Pakistan Premier Firoz Khan Noon on border problems have largely succeeded.

Left and Right Backing De Gaulle Constitution

PARIS, (UPI). — More support, from the left and the right, was announced on Wednesday for General de Gaulle's new constitution, which is expected to win a two-thirds majority in the referendum scheduled for September 28.

About a dozen more local branches of the Socialist Party came out in favour of the measure and the Socialist National convention, meeting in Paris on Thursday (today) is expected to support the constitution by a two-thirds vote.

Some 30 extreme rightist followers of tax-hater Pierre Poujade and the non-Communist Workers Force union federation also announced their decision to back it.

(Maurice Carr report — P. 4)

French Exports Up

PARIS (UPI). — France's exports covered 80 per cent of the cost of her imports in August, compared with only 65 per cent in August, 1957, the Government reported on Wednesday.

Economic experts credited much of the improvement to the Government's aggressive campaign to boost sales abroad. Exports of French-made cars have been doing particularly well, especially in the U.S. and Japan.

France to Boycott U.N. Debate on Algeria

PARIS (Reuter). — The Government announced on Wednesday that the French delegation to the U.N. will not participate in debates on the Algerian question.

M. Jacques Soustelle, Minister of Information, told reporters after a Cabinet meeting that the decision should come as no surprise since France had made known its attitude on North African problems. He added that the French delegation would be led by Foreign Minister Maurice Couve de Murville.

At the U.N. in New York, the Afro-Asian group met for three hours on Tuesday on the Algerian situation and afterwards issued a statement expressing "concern" at France's alleged failure to comply with the General Assembly resolution adopted last year on the question.

"Armed conflict continues to rage in Algeria," and no *pourparlers* designed to promote a settlement had been initiated as the resolution suggested, the statement added.

Agents of the *Surete Nationale* arrested 220 "persons of the insurgent Algerian National Liberation Front (F.L.N.) in raids today in 26 Departments of France, the Interior Ministry announced on Wednesday.

The arrested persons will be transferred to Algeria for prosecution.

Border Lull Only a Respite While Arabs Unify—Laskov

TEL AVIV. — The comparative lull on the borders during the past year was mainly due to the fact that the Arabs have temporarily switched their attention to other objects, but their intention of attacking Israel remains unaltered, Rav-Aluf Haim Laskov, Chief of Staff, said in an interview published in the Army magazine "Bamahane," here on Wednesday. "The year which is now ending was not a peaceful one at all, but a respite," he added.

R/A Laskov said the Arab countries have all this time been reorganizing under the leadership of Abdul Nasser. The integration of their armies into a single military machine under one command was a gradual process and required time to complete, but it was approaching its goal, and the aim would be achieved one day — unless it were halted by some unforeseen development.

The impending political and military encirclement of Israel by a unified force would make this country's geopolitical situation more difficult, and new methods would have to be devised to maintain a defensive advantage, he added. "It should be clear to us and to our enemies that we shall strike back if we are molested, and that the results of our action would be such that they should be deterred from launching aggression in

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Deputy C-o-S For European Tour

Aluf Zvi Tzur, Deputy Chief of Staff and Head of the General Staff Branch of G.H.Q., is about to leave for a tour of military establishments in Europe, the Army spokesman announced on Wednesday.

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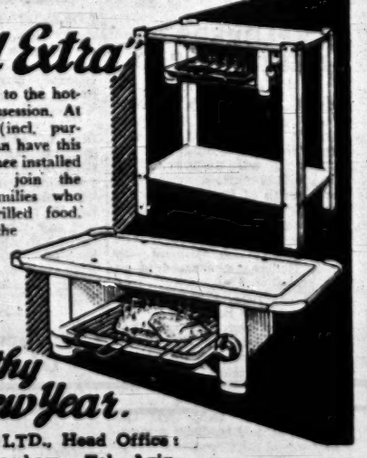

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General Federation of Labour in Israel —Histadrut

Mr. Jayaprakash Narayan,

one of the leaders of India's struggle for national freedom and of the Bhoodan movement, will deliver a lecture on:

"The Bhoodhan Movement"

Saturday, September 13 at 9 p.m. at the open-air auditorium of the Va'ad Hapoal, Tel Aviv.

Social & Personal

The President on Wednesday received Mr. H. Yahil, the Israel Ambassador to Sweden. The President also received Mr. Avraham Shapiro, the veteran member of the Hashomer watchmen's organization.

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The Minister of Labour, Mr. Mordechai Namir, on Wednesday received Mr. Arthur Osman, leader of district 65 Retail, Wholesale and Department Store Workers Union of the U.S. He was accompanied by Mr. Leo Krown, Director of the Bond Office in Israel. Earlier, Mr. Osman was received by the Minister of Health, Mr. Israel Barzilai.

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A farewell party in honour of Mr. James H. Clausen, Deputy Director of the Industry Division of the U.S. Operations Mission, was tendered on Tuesday by Mrs. Tamar Shoham-Sharon, the Director of the Technical Assistance Division of the Prime Minister's Office, and by Mr. A. Taiber, Director of the Industry Division of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, at the Jerusalem Artists House.

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Mr. Sidney Silverman, Labour M.P., on Wednesday visited the Histadrut Executive in Tel Aviv, and was received by Mr. Reuven Barkatt, head of the Political Department.

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Mrs. Esther Rokach, President of the Society for Crippled Children, gave a reception at her home in Tel Aviv on Tuesday for Mr. Abel Shaban, President, Union O.S.E., to mark the conclusion of an agreement between the two organizations for cooperation at Mosad Abrams.

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Mr. Wilson Chakuiya, Secretary-General of the Northern Rhodesian Trades Union Congress, on Wednesday visited Hamashbir Hamerkazi in Tel Aviv. The visitor is in Israel as guest of the Histadrut.

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Dr. B.J.M. Gorby, chairman of the Cinematographic Exhibitors Association of Israel, has returned from abroad by El Al.

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Mr. Jack Shalem, of the Tadmor Hotel, Herzlia, has gone abroad by Air France.

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Mrs. I.B. Davidowitz, drama critic of *The Jerusalem Post*, will address the Tel Aviv-Jaffa Rotary Club on "Drama School in Israel" at the club's weekly luncheon at Z.O.A. House Thursday (today) at 1.15 p.m.

Golombstrasse, T.A. Mistaken for Colombo

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A letter mailed in East Germany and addressed to a man in Haifa turned up in Colombo, Ceylon, the "Colombo Times" reported recently.

The letter was addressed in a heavy script to Mr. S. L. Beck, Golombstrasse 43. The postal authorities in Dresden, East Germany, failed to see faintly written "Israel" on the envelope and took "Golomb" for Colombo. In Colombo the mistake was noticed and the Redirection Office sent it to the Israel Legation. The letter was then forwarded to Mr. Beck.

EXPLORERS TO MEET IN SAFAD

Jerusalem Post Reporter

SAFAD. — The 14th Convention of the Israel Exploration Society, which will be held here from September 30 to October 2, will be marked by the reading of papers revealing the results of the latest archaeological and geographical research. This was announced at a press conference in the Town Hall on Sunday by Prof. B. Mazar, President of the Hebrew University, and Mr. Y. Aviram, Honorary Secretary of the Society.

President Ben-Zvi, who has participated in all the Society's conventions to date, will do so again this year. He is scheduled to lecture on "Safad in Ottoman Times."

Prof. Mazar said that the lectures would include a summing-up of four seasons of digging at Hatzor, an archaeological survey of Upper Galilee, a paper on Crusader settlements and ancient synagogues in Galilee and a geographical survey of Safad and its environs.

An average of 1,000-1,500 persons generally attend the Society's annual meetings during the Succot holiday.

MAC AFFAIRS CHIEF ON NORTHERN BORDER

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TIBERIAS. — Dr. A. Hiran, in charge of Armistice Affairs at the Foreign Ministry, on Wednesday toured the Syrian and Lebanese borders accompanied by the Israel delegate to the Israel-Syrian Mixed Armistice Commission, Rav-Seren V. Gassner. They also visited Kibbutz Shamir and a U.N. observation point near there.

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Shah Spurns Links With Pan-Arabism

PARIS, (Reuter). — The conservative "Paris Presse" on Wednesday quoted the Shah of Persia as saying he wished to lead a creative and positive nationalist movement, and would not tie his country to the Arabs or their "revolution."

In an interview with a correspondent of the newspaper, the Shah said he did not fear clandestine Arab broadcasts to Persia, but terrorism "had to be condemned."

The Persian ruler said he hoped to make all the peasants of his country owners of the land which they work. He said he had distributed his own land to the peasants and would do the same with all government land as well as the domains of absentee landlords.

Persia, he said, would soon be able to invest $500m. a year in modernization and was planning to build three million homes in the next 20 years. He added that to fulfil his task as king, he had sacrificed "the wife I loved, and perhaps the life I would have liked. We shall make something magnificent of this country," he concluded.

MAN HAS NOT SLEPT FOR 17 YEARS

TERAMO, Italy (Reuter). — Mr. Alfonso Magliocco, who claims he has not slept since he was routed out of bed by British soldiers 17 years ago, has appealed to doctors to help him sleep.

Mr. Magliocco said on Tuesday that neither sleeping pills nor tranquillizers had helped him to forget the night of May 1, 1941 when two British soldiers and three Abyssinians hauled him out of bed in a house near Addis Ababa where he was hiding.

"I cannot forget the soldiers or my screams of terror," he said. "Every night I relive them."

He said the soldiers did not maltreat him when they took him prisoner. "But if somebody would help me I would thank God and my benefactor for putting an end to my sufferings."

Thin and white-faced, he said he had consulted specialists and psychiatrists without result. He said he paces the floor, reads or listens to the radio at night.

POLAND TO ENJOY CONSUMER GOODS

WARSAW (Reuter). — Polish factories are to step up production of washing machines, refrigerators, bicycles, television sets and other consumer goods next year, according to provisional production forecasts published by "Trybuna Ludu."

The other feature of heavy industry's consumer goods output is to be the expansion of the range of goods, the switch-over to higher quality products, and the elimination of many former deficiencies.

New products planned include pressure cookers, new model cameras, and transistor radio sets.

Britain Gets First U.S. Thor Missile

LONDON (UPI). — The first American rocket capable of carrying a nuclear warhead from Britain to the heart of Russia has been received here, it was announced on Tuesday.

The Air Ministry said the first of some 70 Thor intermediate-range ballistic missiles is on hand, but has not yet been delivered to the British missile crew which will handle it. The Ministry would not say when, where or how the 1,500-mile missile reached England, but it was assumed that the 65-foot rocket was brought in by plane from the U.S.

To Discuss Disposal Of City Waste

An interministerial committee has been appointed by the Minister of Health to study the problem of the disposal of municipal garbage.

This follows an investigation by the Knesset Services Committee into the menace to health caused by the garbage dumps in the Tel Aviv area.

The committee will study the public health aspect of garbage disposal as well as the possibility of its exploitation for agricultural and industrial purposes.

Mr. M. Lilien, Director of the Ministry of Health's Sanitation Division, will head the committee, which includes representatives of the Agriculture, Commerce and Industry and Interior Ministries.

Tax Exemption Asked For Municipal Loan

The Minister of Finance, Mr. Levi Eshkol, has requested the Knesset Finance Committee to approve a Government guarantee for the floating of the second Municipal Bond Issue and to exempt part of the interest payment on these bonds from income tax, the Ministry spokesman announced in Jerusalem on Tuesday.

The new Municipal Bond Issue is for IL7.5m. and will bear 6 per cent interest instead of the 6½ per cent of the first issue. Maturity dates will be from 1960-1969. The bonds will be linked to the dollar or cost-of-living index. The proceeds will be used for development work in areas under the jurisdiction of the local authorities.

TOURISTS. — King Paul and Queen Friederike, of Greece, have gone on a State visit to Switzerland.

Baseball Diamond Planned for Hebrew U.

Ground plans for a baseball field in the Hebrew University campus are to be sent from the U.S. by Col. Harry Henshel, Chairman of the U.S. Committee for Sports in Israel, who left the country on Tuesday.

Col. Henshel, Vice-Chairman of the Bulova Watch Co., is on an official tour of U.S. overseas forces, and came here for the dedication of the Orde Wingate Physical Education Centre last week.

A spokesman of the University, Mr. Max Rosenfeld, told *The Jerusalem Post* that Col. Henshel had approached the University with the aim of interesting the country's institutions of higher learning in taking up baseball. "Some people interpret baseball for Israel as a hairbrain scheme, and ask 'who needs it?'" the Colonel said. But sport was also a means of communication between Israel and the U.S., especially for the latter's youth, he explained.

The International Educational Exchange Service, of the State Department, hopes to send to Israel, in cooperation with the Committee, an American specialist for a period of eight months, to coach baseball and softball, he added.

Judge Puts Voroshilov In His Place

MILAN, (Reuter). — An Italian investigating magistrate here has ruled that Marshal Voroshilov, the Soviet President, is not a head of state in the usual sense.

He cleared the director of a magazine which printed an article alleged to have described the Soviet leader as being "an old worn-out horse of the Russian Army."

A private Italian citizen, Berto Pusaroli, accused Mario Shisalbert, Director of the Italian monthly "Selezzione dal Reader's Digest," of insulting the head of a foreign country.

The magistrate decided that Marshal Voroshilov was not the head of a foreign state in whom executive powers were concentrated, but that he was "*primus inter pares*" (the first among equals) of a collegiate body, the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet.

The Italian penal code provides up to three years' imprisonment for people found guilty of insulting the honour of a foreign head of state.

Pepper Trounced In Florida Primaries

WASHINGTON, (UPI). — One former Democratic Senator emerged on top on Wednesday from the first major test in his campaign to return to Congress, but another was returned to political limbo.

The survivor was Gov. Ernest McFarland of Arizona, and former Senator. He won the Democratic Senatorial nomination in his state on Tuesday to oppose Sen. Barry Goldwater, the Republican who defeated him six years ago.

Among the losers in the primary elections on Tuesday was former Sen. Claude Pepper, of Florida, once a prominent voice among Southern Liberals. He was snowed under by Sen. Spessard Holland, a Conservative who was renominated for a third term.

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A-Bomb Precautions Published in Russia

MOSCOW (Reuter). — Soviet citizens were Wednesday advised how they should protect themselves form burns and injuries resulting from an atomic bomb attack.

The precautions were detailed in the thrice-weekly newspaper "Soviet Patriot," organ of a voluntary organization to aid the Army and Navy.

It said one of the main dangers from atomic explosions was the effect from light radiation. People might defend themselves by hiding behind buildings, fences or lying in trenches. The danger of burns was less if loose, light-coloured clothing was worn.

JAPAN. — The World Bank on Wednesday announced loans totalling $51m. to assist steel production and power development in Japan.

Where to go

Meet the Israelis — Tourists invited to meet Israelis at home. Information at Government Tourist Office, Jerusalem, Tel Aviv, Haifa.

JERUSALEM

• **Zoo:** — Jerusalem Biblical Zoo, 8.30-5.

• **Exhibitions:** —
New Exhibition: 10 years of archaeological activities, 1948-1958, Department of Antiquities, 25 Rehov Shlomo Hamelech, 9-1, 3-5.
1) Views and Visions of the Holy Land; 2) Lithographs by Honore Daumier; 3) Ancient pottery, glass and textiles from various civilizations; 4) Preview of Primitive Sculpture, Bezalel Museum, 9-1, 3.30-5.
Paintings by Yves Dandal, Arts and Crafts Artists' House, 10-1, 4-7.

• **Tours:** —
Hebrew University conducted tours daily in English at 9, 10, 11 a.m. and 12 noon and 3 4.30 p.m. New University Campus. Every Tuesday leaving Administration Bldg. 11 a.m., a visit to Hebrew University-Hadassah Medical School in Ein Karem. Phone (until Monday) 63560 for booking.
Spend a morning with Hadassah on a conducted tour starting at 9 a.m. Book for this tour by phoning 4061 Hadassah Club; Steps Mt. Zion Centre.

• **Film Shows** —
Israel Films daily, 11.30, Keren Hayesod Hall.
• **Documentary Films:** —
At Beit Hillel, 4 Balfour, 8.30.

TEL AVIV

• **Entertainment:** —
Italian specialities Lunch, Dinner Luky's Bar Restaurant, 3 Allenby Rd. First class Italian menu at IL5. Phone 32782.
• **Exhibitions** —
"10 Years of Israel Architecture," Museum, 10-4.
"Wine on View," Wine Tourist Club, 91 Rehov Hayarkon, 9-2.
• **Tourist Service:** —
Visit Hadassah Club, 80 Rehov Hayarkon, Tel 3*289.
Wine Club, 91 Rehov Hayarkon.
• **Y.M.C.A. House:** —
Exhibit: American Paintings. Tourist Service (9 a.m.—9 p.m.) daily.
• **Theatre:** —
Cameri, "Rape of the Belt," New Hall, 8.30.

HAIFA

• **Theatre:** —
Habimah, "Hanna Senesh," Arnon, 8.
• **Tourist Service:** —
Visit Hadassah Club, 17 Rehov Yerushalayim, Tel. 4578.

REHOVOT

• **Tours:** —
Daily for overseas visitors through Government Tourist Offices and travel agencies. Israel visitors once weekly, Thursday afternoons. Appointments through Public Relations Department, Telephone 961721.

BEERSHEBA

• **Puppet Theatre:** —
Pinocchi, Keren, 4.30 — 5.30.

TIVON

• **Theatre:** —
Habimah, "Each had Six Wings," 5.30.

Kibbutz Exhibition May Go to Europe

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Proposals to take the Kibbutz Exhibition on a tour of several European capitals after it closes in Haifa on September 22 have been made by several architects and tourists who have seen it. Another suggestion is that the Exhibition be set up next to the Israel pavilion at the Brussels World Fair.

Exhibition officials have refused to comment on the proposals, but it is understood that the suggestions are being given serious consideration.

The Exhibition spokesman announced on Wednesday that 80,000 persons had visited it so far and that the flow of visitors was increasing daily. In addition to the organized tours of schoolchildren and kibbutz members, Army units and especially Nahal groups have been visiting the Exhibition over the past few days. It is hoped that most Nahal units will be able to see the exhibition.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Rachel Ben-Zvi visited the Exhibition and at the end of her tour expressed her great satisfaction with what she had seen.

Cash for Used Cars in Haifa

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The town's first cash-down used-car business will be opened in Derekh Ha'atzmaut, in the Lower Town, by Messrs. D. and J. Plesner, new immigrants from Canada. They were active in the car trade in Toronto.

The new firm will buy and sell cars for spot cash — or extend up to 50 per cent credit against regular banking interest of 11 per cent. This system, based on a large turnover, will bring down prices, according to Mr. Plesner.

At present, car sales in Israel are carried on by brokers who have no money invested, but work on a commission fee from buyer and seller.

The new market will put up a large number of cars for immediate sale, and deals can be completed on the spot within an hour.

The owners have brought in considerable working capital to build up a large stock of cars. They have already bought a car lot near the Central Post Office.

New Names for Old Jerusalem Quarters

The Jerusalem Municipality has approved Hebrew names for several quarters which formerly bore Arabic or foreign names.

The Musrara Quarter will become Morasha; Katamon becomes Gonen; Bak'a, Geulim; the German and Greek colonies are joined to become Emek Harefaim; Talbieh will be called Komemiut; and Abu Tor becomes Givat Hanania.

The Shama'a Quarter, near Mt. Zion, will become Shima.

Night Work For Women Advised

TEL AVIV. — Abolition of regulations prohibiting the employment of women at night in the textile industry will be recommended by the Enquiry Commission headed by Supreme Court Justice Z. Berinson, it is learned here.

The prohibition has caused the dismissal of many women textile workers, and complaints have been received from many organizations, including the Manufacturers Association and the Working Women's Organization.

NO. 78,403 WINS POPULAR LOAN DRAW

Number 73403, sub-series three, won the top prize of IL30,000 in the lottery of the Popular Loan, 1950, series two, which was held in Haifa, on Tuesday.

Second prize of IL25,000 went to number 70745, sub-series one; and third prize of IL10,000 to number 70745, sub-series two.

Jet Airliner Flies To N.Y. in 7 Hrs. 29 Mins.

NEW YORK (Reuter). — The Pan-American Boeing 707 jet airliner which carried out noise tests at London Airport on Monday smashed the east-west Atlantic crossing record flying back to the United States on Tuesday night.

The company announced that the giant aircraft flew non-stop from Stanstead Airport, Essex, to Idlewild, New York, in seven hours 29 minutes.

The pilot said the crossing would have been made in under seven hours but for a head-wind averaging 30 miles per hour most of the way.

The Boeing reached a top speed of 540 miles per hour.

The previous record was held by an El Al turbo-prop Bristol Britannia which crossed from London Airport to Idlewild in nine hours 22 minutes on March 11. The El Al plane carried 51 passengers and crew and 1.5 tons of freight and mail.

TEST CAR DRIVEN WITH STICK

DETROIT (Reuter). — A gas turbine-powered car with a single stick control in place of the conventional steering wheel, brake and accelerator pedals has been developed and successfully tested by General Motors, the Company's President, Mr. John Godan, announced on Wednesday.

The long, low car, shaped like a rocket missile with an aeroplane-like tail and a cluster of six fins at the rear, was described by Gordon as the fastest car to drive ever built.

Called the "Firebird III," the car is an experimental model.

It is equipped with a number of electronic devices including one enabling the driver to switch on an "autoguide," or automatic pilot, which takes over the control of the car causing it to follow a low frequency power cable in the highway.

Progress Reported In Treating Cancer

GENEVA (Reuter).—A Swiss doctor told the World Conference on the Atom here today that he had successfully treated certain forms of cancer with injections of radioactive gold.

Dr. J.H. Muller, of the University of Zurich, was reporting on the first five years of results in using the method. He said the results indicated that the treatment was "true progress" in the healing of cancer since it at least doubled the rate of cures achieved by surgical methods.

MOUNTBATTEN TO GO TO CANADA, U.S.

LONDON (Reuter). — The First Sea Lord, Earl Mountbatten of Burma, will visit Canada and the United States next month to meet the chief of the Canadian Naval Staff and the Chief of Naval Operations, United States Navy, the Admiralty announced on Wednesday.

DAG AT WAILING WALL

In the item printed in Tuesday's issue of *The Jerusalem Post* concerning the visit of President Ben-Zvi to Heichal Shlomo, Prime Minister Ben-Gurion was incorrectly referred to as having had a conversation with the U.N. Secretary-General concerning the latter's visit to the Wailing Wall. We are informed that the conversation mentioned by the President took place between Mr. Hammarskjold and a government official, but not with Mr. Ben-Gurion.

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EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS

JERUSALEM: Dr. Gruenwald, 22 Bin Nun, 62963. Dr. Shorr, 45 Rashi.
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Charlie Chaplin Hits Film Cutters

LONDON (Reuter).—Charles Chaplin arrived here Tuesday night from Switzerland to take action against certain people who, he claims, are pirating pictures of his and showing them illegally in Britain.

He named the films as "The Kid," "The Pilgrim" and "Shoulder Arms." At the Savoy Hotel where he is staying two or three days, he said, "I am angry and frustrated by the fact that these films are chopped and hacked about. I have already taken action in France, Belgium, Holland and Italy, and I reckon the cost to me before I have finished will be $100,000 or more.

"I know these films — silent films made years ago — have been shown in this country in recent months. I do not know where and I do not know who is showing them. But I am seeing my lawyers today. If there is court action I should, if necessary, be ready to give evidence as a witness."

Football Results

LONDON (Reuter). — Results in Tuesday night's English Football League matches were:— Div. I: Arsenal 6, Bolton W. 1; Burnley 3, Everton 1. Div. II: Huddersfield 0, Bris. C. 1. Div. III: Donc. R. 2, Q.P.R. 0; Brentford 2, Mansfield T. 0. Div. IV: Southport 1, Bradford 0; Carlisle U. 2, Northampton 1; Watford 2, Crystal P. 2.

VIOLIN. — Oscar Yatco, 27, of the Philippines, won the seventh International violin contest sponsored by the West German Radio Stations Association on Tuesday night.

Cinemas

JERUSALEM

ARNON: Up in the World
ORION: Tempo Nostri
ORNA: Count 5 and Die
RON: Full of Life
TEL ON: Bonsoir Paris, bonjour l'amour
ZION HALL: Le grand bluff
EDISON: Fuhrmann Henschel
STUDIO: Demetrius and the Gladiators

TEL AVIV

ALLENBY: Bambi
ARMON DAVID: Time Without Pity
CHEN: Delicate Delinquent
EDEN: Our Beautiful Days
ESTHER: Until They Sail
GAN RENA: The Flesh is Weak
GAT: Captain Light Foot
MAXIM: All at Sea
MIGDALOR: Hanneri
MOGRABI: Torero
OPHIR: Wild is the Wind
ORION: Du bist die Welt fuer mich
PEER: The Tender Trap
SHDEROTH: Who Done It?
TAMAR: An Alligator Named Daisy
TCHELET: That Certain Feeling
TEL AVIV: No Down Payment
YARON: Stampeded
ZAMIR: Raising a Riot
ZAFON: The Monte Carlo Story

HAIFA

AMPHITHEATRE: The Young Lions
ORAH: Scherben Bringen Glueck
ORION: The Burning Hills
ATZMON: Maedchenjahre einer Koenigin
GAL OR: The Outcast
ARMON: Witness for the Prosecution
EN DOR: Hanka
ORLY: The Trouble with Harry
PEER: Pal Joey
MORIAH: Wedding Party
MAY: Seven Hills of Rome

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3½% War Loan 54/59	95½
3½% Travel Dollar 55	95½
6% Reg. Sterling "A"	95½
Def. Loan Bonds 62½ (1)	103½
4½% Def. Bonds (1)	103½
4½% Def. Bonds (2)	107½
6½% Loan (1. Debs. (1)	108½
6½% Loan (1. Debs. (2)	107
Pal. Elec. pref. ph (1.40m.)	271
6½% Bonds 58/63 (1)	105
ditto (2)	116
Koren Hayesod	
3½% Deb. 53/65 (1)	103½
ditto (2)	110½
6% Deb. 53/63. (1)	102
ditto (2)	103½
Igreth 6½% Deb. 53/63	107½
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7% con. debs. 59/63	95½
"Tova" ord. sh.	79
Pal. Gold Co. ord sh. reg.	140
Paas 6% debs. 60/64 reg.	94
Shur 6% debs. 58/65	90½
Nir 5% pref. sh.	90
Gen. Mortg. Bk. ord. sh.	75½
Rassco 5% pref. ord. sh.	87
I.L.D.C. ord. sh. reg.	86
5% debs	87
Afr. Pal. Inv. ord. sh.	61½
Moller ord. sh. reg.	1150
Pal. Brewery 5% con. debs.	82½
Assis Bajarano "B" sh	72
Nesher 6% debs "A" 55/64	117
Pal. Potash "A" ord. sh.	65½
Dead Sea Works	
5% Deb. reg.	348
Dekel ord sh. "C"	83½
Hakoret prof. sh.	90
Jordan Exploration Co. Ord. sh. reg.	87

Notes: a) purchasing price; b) selling price; c) ex-coupon; d) ex-dividend; e) ex-right; f) linked with $; g) linked with e-o-i.

Pompey Knocks Out Turpin in 2nd Round

BIRMINGHAM (Reuter). — Randolph Turpin, British light-heavyweight champion, was knocked out by Yolande Pompey, of Trinidad, in the second of a 10-round nontitle contest here Tuesday night.

The West Indian caught Turpin with a short right hand punch. Turpin stiffened, went down, made two attempts to rise, but fell forward on his face both times and was counted out after 90 seconds of the second round.

The blow which exploded on Turpin's chin was Pompey's first real punch of the fight. In the opening round the British champion had put Pompey down for a count with a solid right hook.

For seven years promoters have been trying to match Pompey and Turpin, but their meeting here was the first between the two men, who have both fought for world championships.

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6.30 a.m. Service (R). 6.37 Calisthenics. 6.47 Musical Clock (R). 7.17 Morning Melodies.

11.00 Popular Concert. 12.00 Sephardic Tunes. 12.15 Lunchtime Music. 12.45 Housewife's Request Programme.

4.30 p.m. News in English, Swedish and Spanish. 5.05 Today at the Kibbutzim. Festival and Exhibition. 5.30 Popular Songs and Melodies. 5.45 Children's Corner. 6.00 Youth Corner. 6.30 Light Music. 6.40 Talmud Lesson. 7.17 We Present Tonight. 7.30 Histadrut Activities. 7.40 "Young Artists" — Yiraela Margalit (Piano): Bach: Prelude and Fugue in G-minor; Ravel: 1) "Ondin," 2) "Alborada del Gracioso." 8.00 Weekly Summary of Woman's Programme. 8.25 "Questions to Children" — S. Rosen & H. Ben-Ari. 8.55 Bible Reading: Nehemia, Chap. 12. 9.15 Newsreel. 9.30 Light Music. 10.15 Literary Corner. 10.30 Song and Dance Request Programme.

SECOND PROGRAMME
422, 460, 292.7, 41.7 & 33.3 M.

IMMIGRANTS' HOUR: 5.30 Mifa'l Hapayis Drawing. 6.00 The "Rias" Youth Orchestra, at the Brussels World Fair, 1958: Telemann: "Water Music" for Strings; Mozart: Symphony No. 40 in G-minor, K. 55. 6.30 "Listen & Understand." 7.00 French. 7.20 Yiddish. 8.00 Mograbit. 8.15 News in Easy Hebrew. 8.30 Ladino. 9.00 News (From 1st Programme). 9.15 Rumanian. 9.30 Hungarian. 9.45 Polish. 10.00 News in English.

ARABIC PROGRAMME
497 & 41.97 M.

Arabic Programme (including News): 6.30—7.15 a.m. 1.15—2.15 and 8.30—11.15 p.m. Persian 5.15 p.m.

KOL ZION LAGOLA (25.5 M.): Programme to South Africa: 6.30 News. 6.37 "Thursday Column" — Walter Eytan. 6.45 10th Anniversary Celebrations: Opening of the Wingate Physical Training Institute. 6.53 Afrikaans Programme.

Programme to the U.K.: 11.15 News. 11.25 "Thursday Column" — Walter Eytan. 11.30 "Around & About." 11.40 Religious Life in Israel.

ARMY PROGRAMME (39.4, 214, 235 & 285 M.): 6.30 Opening. 6.33 Songs. 7.00 News. 7.30 Classical Music Requests: Works by Tchaikowsky & Bizet. 8.00 "Projector." 8.30 Entertainment Programme. 9.00 News. 9.15 Excerpts from Operas. 10.00 Light Music.

B.B.C. HEBREW BROADCASTS (13.80, 16.84 & 24.89): 7.15-7.45 p.m. News. News Talk. Week's Feature.

CYPRUS BROADCASTING SERVICE — English Programme (434 & 498 M.): 12.30 Midday Melodies. 4.30 Teatime Music. 7.15 Dean Martin Sings. 10.00 Encounters with Animals. 10.15 Concert by the Prague Symphony Orchestra. 10.45 Popular Piano Melodies.

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12. 9.58 s.s. GEFFEN	Cyprus, Rotterdam, Antwerp, London, Portugal.
30. 9.58 m.v. KESARYA	Cyprus, Rotterdam, Antwerp, London.
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5.10.58 s.s. TSFONIT	Cyprus, Rotterdam, Antwerp, London.
19.10.58 m.v. TAMAR	Cyprus, Rotterdam, Antwerp, London.
19.10.58 m.v. DAGAN	Cyprus, Rotterdam, Bremen, Hamburg.
20.10.58 m.v. RIMON	Cyprus, Liverpool.

WEST AFRICA LINE

30.10.58 m.v. TAPPUZ	Limassol, Freetown, Takoradi/ Accra, Lagos, Douala.

FAR EAST LINE

11. 9.58 m.v. LEALOTT	Massawa, Penang.

MEDITERRANEAN and BLACK SEA LINE

Tyrrhenian

14. 9.58 m.v. PRIMUS	Genoa, Livorno, Marseilles, Cyprus.
22. 9.58 m.v. ASHKELON	P. Empedocle, Genoa, Marseilles.
25. 9.58 m.v. DIEVERTJE	Syracuse, Genoa, Marseilles.
1.10.58 m.v. C. MADRE	Cyprus, Genoa, Marseilles.

Adriatic

21. 9.58 m.v. HADAR	Rijeka, Trieste.
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Today's Postbag

The Weather

FORECAST: Partly cloudy — light showers probable.

Weather Synopsis: Light atmospheric instability associated with upper pressure trough will continue to prevail in the Eastern Mediterranean.

	A	B	C	D
Mt. Cana'an	27	14	24	25
Tiberias	28	22	33	34
Haifa Port	27	26	28	28
Natanya	33	23	31	30
Tel Aviv Kiryat	34	20	29	29
Tel Aviv Port	61	21	27	28
Lydda Airport	37	18	30	30
Jerusalem	32	15	24	24
Beersheba	46	17	33	30
Sdom	38	24	34	34
Eilat	38	21	32	30

*A) Humidity at 3 p.m. B) Minimum temp. yesterday. C) Maximum yesterday. D) Maximum temp. expected today.

ARRIVALS

Rav-Aluf Ya'acov Dori, President of the Technion, from London. (by El Al).

Mr. Shlomo Moriah, Liberian Consul in Israel, from Monrovia. (by El Al).

Mr. Y. Pacco, of Sabena Airlines, for talks with the El Al company, (by El Al).

Professor E. Netanyahu, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Science and Head of the Division of Mathematics at the Technion, after attending the Third General Assembly of the International Mathematics Union held in Glasgow, and the Fourth General Assembly of the International Congress of Mathematicians held in Edinburgh, Scotland.

Mrs. A. Schwimmer-Vigevano, from the Netherlands, after an extended mission on behalf of the Israel Development Bonds Campaign.

Mr. Y. Baranes, from a protracted visit to Central America and Algeria on behalf of the Keren Hayesod.

DEPARTURES

Mr. George Harrison, Vice-President of the A.F.L.-C.I.O., for the U.S. following a short visit as guest of the Histadrut, (by Air France).

Mr. Carlo Sonnino, of "Tami" Co. Ltd., Haifa, for Europe on Company business and to participate in the Bari Fair as representative of "Tami" and official member of the delegation of the Government Exhibition and Fairs Company.

THE CLOTHING store of Kibbutz Givat Hashlosha near Petah Tikva burned down on Tuesday night. A short circuit started the fire, which caused damage estimated at IL7,000.

Crack-Down on Income Tax Evaders Promised in '59/'60

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Beginning with the 1959/60 fiscal year, the Government will prosecute tax evaders who voluntarily admit to their evasions, the Commissioner of State Revenue, Mr. Z. Sharef, declared at a press conference in Jerusalem on Wednesday.

Hitherto such persons were not prosecuted by the Government and Mr. Sharef's announcement means that their period of grace has been extended until next April. Following this date the Government will decide a case's merits whether to bring it to court.

Referring to the Olamit Company, which is being formally charged with tax evasion, Mr. Sharef said that the sum of IL1m. which appeared in the press was exaggerated but that the real amount involved would only be divulged when the case came to trial.

Mr. Sharef also revealed that in the future, higher-priced tickets to performances of foreign artists in the main centres of the country would not be exempt from entertainment tax. Hitherto a Ministry of Education committee had been in charge of recommending tax exemptions for such performances. The new directive will come in force from January 1, 1959.

Cheap Cigarettes

Turning to the effect of the recent increases in excise taxes on consumer goods, Mr. Sharef admitted that many people had started smoking cheaper cigarettes but this was a general trend after each tax increase and they soon returned to their former brands. He added that the grading of locally-grown tobacco was not satisfactory at present, and the Technion had been requested to prepare a general grading system for tobacco.

Dr. T. Brosh, the Income Tax Commissioner, Mr. S. Gafni, the Director of Customs and Excise, and Mr. A. Givoni, Deputy State Revenue Commissioner, reported on Government revenue during the first five months of the current fiscal year which they declared was keeping up with the estimates.

Fishing Firm Set Up With Swiss, Japanese

Jerusalem Post Reporter

A joint Israel-Japanese-Swiss fishing company has commenced operations in the South Atlantic, the spokesman for the Ministry of Commerce and Industry announced in Jerusalem on Wednesday.

The company which was set up following Minister of Commerce and Industry P. Sapir's visit to Japan owns the s.s. Shimu Maru, which left Japan six weeks ago and is now engaged in deep sea fishing off the coast of South-West Africa. The catch will be marketed in Israel.

The ship is one of a series that will be bought in Japan by the company together with a larger "mother ship" which will be equipped with refrigeration facilities. The company will fish mainly for tuna in the South Atlantic and Indian Oceans.

The Shimu Maru is expected in Haifa sometime at the end of October when it will take aboard a complement of Israel fishermen who will be trained in deep sea fishing methods.

On Wednesday, Messrs. Munemichi Nihara and Eco Cosida of Japan and Y. Peron, Y.S. Shapiro and Captain M. Brenner were received by Mr. Sapir in connection with the new fishery firm. The initial investment in the company is $100,000, with a further $200,000 to be added later.

Solel Boneh Resignees Told to Hand Over

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Hevrat Ovdim Secretariat on Wednesday informed the five men who resigned from the management of Solel Boneh that it was up to them to hand over to the men appointed by Hevrat Ovdim and the Central Committee.

The five are Messrs. M. Giron, D. Hacohen, S. Margolin, S. Noy and A. Remez.

Debate on Subsidy Delays Dan Changes

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The reorganization of the Dan bus lines in Tel Aviv has been held up by the Ministry of Finance's opposition to continuing the company's subsidy, it was learned in Jerusalem on Wednesday.

If the Ministry does not reconsider, Dan may apply for general fare rise.

The reorganization which was worked out jointly by Dan and the Ministry of Transport entailed the extension of several bus lines and the amalgamation of others. The number of fare rates in the city was supposed to have been reduced to three. Discussions between the Ministries are now being held with a view to implementing the proposed reorganization.

Money Circulation Rises by IL13m.

Currency in circulation rose this week by IL13,417,270, to stand at IL284,828,643, the Bank of Israel announced Wednesday.

While there was a drop of IL2,343,264 in foreign currency reserves and of IL6,349 in gold, there was a rise of IL 6,839,000 in Treasury and Government notes, and of IL8,927,883 in promissory and exchange notes.

Tel Aviv G.P.O. Takes Flood Of Holiday Greetings in Stride

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Some of the most hectic pre-High Holiday activity anywhere has been carried out by post office employees here. On Wednesday alone, they dealt with some 600,000 greeting cards posted by Tel Avivians, and the climax is still to come when an estimated three-quarters of a million New Years' cards will be thrown into Post Office boxes here on Thursday.

In addition to the cards, all other types of mail have increased nearly two-fold in the past week, including letters, calendars, and newspapers.

To meet the pressure, the post office in Tel Aviv has taken on 30 temporary postmen and 100 other staff to work at the central sorting house in Yad Eliahu. Some 300 men and women are now working in three shifts round the clock at the four-storey sorting house and 120 postmen are delivering mail, Mr. Baruch Rohald, Postmaster of Tel Aviv-Jaffa, told *The Jerusalem Post* on Wednesday.

Nearly all postal employees are working overtime up to four hours daily.

Every Two Hours

Collecting of mail from the city's 150 boxes has been an unending chore, the boxes filling every two hours. Drivers have had to take porters with them to carry the heavy mailbags.

At the sorting house a special "greeting cards department" was set up to work 24 hours a day. Mr. Rohald said all cards sent locally and destined to addresses in Israel were delivered within 48 hours, and most reached their destination the day after posting. Cards sent on Thursday (today) and Friday would be delivered on Sunday, and in some places cards posted on Saturday may also arrive before *Rosh Hashana*.

Letters and printed matter were given priority over greeting cards, and no delay in delivery had yet been caused because of the heavy mail movements, Mr. Rohald said. All mail either sent or addressed to Tel Aviv was processed by the Yad Eliahu sorting house, which was the "nerve centre" for about 60 per cent of all mail posted in, or to, Israel.

Stamp Vendors Busy

The rush in the past few days has been far more obvious at the 20 post offices and post office agencies and 200 licensed stamp vendors in the city, than in the beehive-like work at the sorting house. Queues formed at every stamp counter throughout, Wednesday. At 2 p.m., not considered a "rush hour," this reporter waited ten minutes for stamps at the Allenby Road Central Post Office.

Mr. Rohald said automatic stamp vending machines had not yet been introduced in Israel, but admitted that a few such machines would greatly speed up sales of the 50 pruta stamps required for cards.

The post office requests that stamps be posted on the right hand corner of envelopes, to enable cancelling to be done by machine. Unstamped envelopes are delivered to their destination, but the recipients have to pay twice the normal price.

Stores to Stay Open For Holiday Shoppers

Jerusalem Post Staff

Jerusalem and Haifa groceries will remain open on Saturday night until 10 p.m. The Grocers Association urges the public to make its purchases for the holiday at that time and not to depend on last minute buying on Sunday, the eve of Rosh Hashanah.

It was also announced that milk and ice will not be sold in Jerusalem on Monday and Tuesday, the two days of Rosh Hashanah, and Jerusalemites are advised to stock up on these items before the advent of the holiday.

Jerusalem's larder is well stocked for the holidays, but the expected buying rush had not materialized by Wednesday, local shopkeepers reported. They said that they expected the rush to begin on Thursday.

Biggest demand for fruit at present is for apples and although they are in plentiful supply, wholesalers, including Tnuva, have hiked their prices by 10 per cent.

Similar increases of IL1 a kg. for poultry and of 500 pruta per kg. for unrationed meat are reported. In Haifa, poultry sold for IL3.300 per kg. on Wednesday, half a pound less than in the capital.

Showers Probable

The skies will be partly cloudy on Thursday (today) and there will probably be scattered showers, the weatherman said Wednesday night.

Maximum temperatures are expected to be the same or slightly higher than on Wednesday.

Heavy rain fell in Western Galilee on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, but later in the day the clouds scattered and temperature and humidity returned to summer norms.

Herzog Trust Fund For Rabbi Shiff

The Chief Rabbi and Mrs. Herzog have established a trust fund in memory of Rabbi Ephraim Shlomo Zalman Shiff, late Treasurer of the Ohel Torah Yeshiva and one of its founders and principal supporters.

Rabbi Herzog, who is President of the *yeshiva*, made the announcement at a memorial service for Rabbi Shiff held on Tuesday night at the *yeshiva* on the 30th day after his death. He paid warm tribute to Rabbi Shiff for his great human kindness and said his loss would be felt particularly by Torah scholars.

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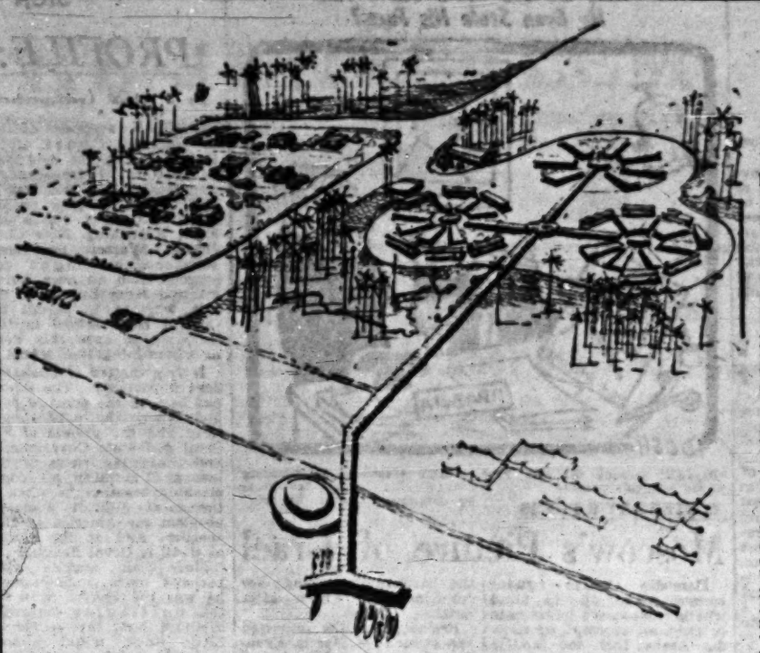

The Proposed plan for a motel and holiday camp at the Eilat beach. The motel and facilities for car owners are on the section to the left while the camp for other trippers is in the flower-like section. The camp will accommodate 1,000 guests at one time.

Holiday Camp to Solve Eilat's Accommodation Problem

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A permanent holiday camp for 1,000 visitors will be erected on Eilat's sea shore within the next three months, the Eilat Council chairman, Mr. H. Nenner, announced at a press conference here on Wednesday.

An impossible situation has arisen where Eilat, the country's most popular holiday resort, has practically no accommodation or entertainment facilities for its thousands of visitors, he said. The Eilat Beach Development Company, together with the Government, has undertaken to solve this problem, he said.

The holiday camp would cost IL250,000 — IL50,000 of which would be provided by American investors, in dollars, and a similar sum by Eilat contractors. The remainder would come as a loan from the Government Tourist Corporation.

The representative of the American partners, Mr. Y. Ben-Yehuda, is an Israeli resident in the U.S., an associate of Abbell Management, of Chicago, which operates a chain of hotels and motels throughout the U.S. He announced to the press his company's intention of building a two-storied hotel in Eilat at an initial investment of $50,000. He went to say that he had submitted a plan for the erection of a chain of motels throughout the Negev and at Ashkelon.

1st and 2nd Class

The 30-dunam camp would be divided into two sections: one for trippers in coaches and lorries, and the more luxurious section for owners of private cars. A cafe and a restaurant will be built on a jetty, which would also serve as a base for various water sports.

The plans had been designed by Mr. Meir Beit-Eshi, former Manager of the Timna Copper Works, who was also present at the press conference.

Other plans of the Eilat Beach Company include a road house in the hills to the east of Eilat, tours of the "wild south" in special vehicles, glass-bottomed boats, and the erection of a warm water swimming pool (the sea is quite cold in winter, Eilat's most temperate season).

Mr. Nenner later told *The Jerusalem Post* that the Council was doing its best to impose suitable controls over prices, which soared during the past tourist season. The issue may be brought before the Interministerial Economic committee, he revealed.

El Al Offers 30% Off to Winter Groups

TEL AVIV. — Tourists visiting Israel in groups during the coming winter can benefit from a 30 per cent reduction in their air travel fares, according to an agreement reached between El Al and IATA. The reductions will be in effect from November 1 until March 15, 1959, it was announced on Wednesday.

The agreement affects only those booking "package tours" and travelling in groups of at least six persons. The tour expenses will include hotel accommodations, guided tours, and food. The reduction will not be granted to individual travellers.

A FORGED IL5 note was on Wednesday brought to the Tel Aviv police by a gas station owner from Rehov Dizengoff who claimed that he received it from one of his customers.

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Western Immigrants Insist on Premium

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Representatives of the Council for Western Aliya on Wednesday unanimously rejected a Jewish Agency suggestion that the premium on dollars brought in by Western immigrants now be given as a loan.

They took this stand at a meeting with the special committee just set up by the Agency and which comprises Executive members Messrs. E. Dobkin, M. Kol and S.Z. Shragai. The 350 pruta per dollar up to $10,000 was formerly given as a grant by the Government until it was recently abolished by the Finance Ministry and taken over by the Agency.

A suggestion by Mr. Kol that the premium be granted as a 25-year loan was turned down by the representatives of the immigrant associations of the U.S. and Canada, Britain, South Africa and Latin America.

Dubiner Lashes CBM Stand on Cartons

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The Director of the Cargal Company, Mr. Sam Dubiner, charged the Citrus Marketing Board on Wednesday with obstructing a recommendation of the Government Inquiry Committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Ze'ev Sharef that its research on carton containers for citrus shipments should be conducted under Government supervision.

In a trenchant attack on the Board, Mr. Dubiner told the local Rotary Club that the CMB feared that if it were proven that cartons make a better and cheaper packaging material than wooden crates, there would be then no more need for purchasing missions to go abroad.

"We have proved that the Board last year deliberately failed to treat the citrus chemically before packing it in cartons. When Marks and Spencer in Britain cabled the Board to discontinue these shipments, the Board here announced that this large British importing firm regarded cartons as unsuited for shipping citrus. Marks and Spencer thereupon called a conference with Israel newsmen in London to deny the allegation," Mr. Dubiner said.

He further charged that the Board had "purposely bought cartons at the last moment and at short notice in order to drive their price up through overtime wages and other extra charges."

Tools Restored To Reformed Burglar

HAIFA. — A local resident, convicted of 11 burglaries, will turn over a new leaf this New Year, employing the same tools he used in his criminal career.

The man was caught red-handed while burgling a shop over a year ago. At his trial the judge decided to give him another chance and gave him a five year suspended sentence.

The burglar then applied to the Police for the return of his first-class set of burglar tools. He explained that he wanted to prove that the same tools could be used for a good and honest purpose—in his handicraft workshop.

After consideration, the Police have decided to return the tools, convinced that the burglar really means it and that the tools will give him the feeling that the Police also believe in his will to go straight.

Ruling on Mazliah Claim Next Week

The court ruling on the application of Avraham Mazliah for a declaratory judgment that he is a grandson of Nuri Said, the late Premier of Iraq, is expected to be handed down by Judge E. Mani in the Tel Aviv District Court next week.

On Wednesday, Mr. M. Kritzman, counsel for Mazliah, submitted his brief to the court.

Detonator Explosion In Kitchen Injures Three

Mrs. Miriam Kadmian, 46, her 11-year-old daughter and seven-year-old son were injured on Tuesday night when a detonator exploded in their flat in the Geula Quarter of Jerusalem. The children were playing with the detonator in the kitchen and apparently brought it too close to the stove.

The mother and daughter were sent home after being treated in Hadassah Hospital while the son remained in hospital with serious face injuries.

It is not known where the children found the detonator.

Motorbike Injures Four Soldiers

PETAH TIKVA. — Four soldiers were injured on the Petah Tikva-Beit Lid road on Tuesday night when a motorcycle crashed into a column marching along the road. They were on the left side, facing oncoming traffic.

The driver of the motorcycle, Shalom Dehan, of Rehov Bar-Kochba in Petah Tikva, was also injured.

The condition of the injured, all at Tel Hashomer Hospital, is reported as satisfactory. *(Itim.)*

FOUR-YEAR-OLD KILLED BY TRUCK

TEL AVIV. — Four-year-old Gavriel Bussy of Tel Aviv was killed instantly on Wednesday afternoon when he was hit by a truck in the Hatikva Quarter. The driver, Ezra Negov of Bnei Brak was detained by police.

Court Orders Hermoni's Arrest; Embassy in Berne Notified

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER, Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — An order for the arrest of David Hermoni-Weiss, 26, the Holland Bank Union clerk who was apprehended in Zurich on Tuesday on suspicion of stealing nearly $250,000 of the bank's money, was issued by Magistrate E. Neuman on Wednesday.

Since there is no extradition agreement between Israel and Switzerland, the Swiss are under no compulsion to hand Hermoni over to the Israel authorities. Nevertheless, they may comply with an Israel request if they so desire, even in the absence of an agreement.

Asked what action was being taken in the matter, a Foreign Ministry spokesman would only say: "The Foreign Ministry has issued the appropriate instructions to the Israel Embassy in Berne."

Hermoni was charged by the police with forging the signature of the Bank's Secretary on the coded cables by which he transferred the money to his own account in Zurich, with stealing the money from his employers, and with obtaining it under false pretences.

Charges Sent Abroad

The charges and order of arrest were made in English and will be forwarded to the Swiss police, who are holding Hermoni. The maximum penalty on the forgery charge, which is the most serious, is life imprisonment.

Police were busy Wednesday preparing the file against Hermoni, taking evidence and checking the Bank's books to trace Hermoni's alleged illegal transactions.

An expert established that the transfer cables were typed by Hermoni on the bank's typewriters. It was also found that the money had been transferred in separate sums,—first to the Irving Trust Company and the City Bank of New York, then ordering them by coded cable to send it on to the Swiss Corporation Bank and to the Credit Bank of Zurich, where Hermoni had allegedly opened accounts on an earlier trip abroad.

Other Transfers Likely

Cables received from these banks on Wednesday showed that besides the $220,092 originally reported, Hermoni is suspected of having transferred two additional sums of $10,000 each to banks. Records of these transfers have not yet been found at the Holland Bank and police are searching for them.

It is believed that Hermoni bought the plane ticket for his flight to Zurich with IL1,000 he had borrowed from the bank's provident fund last month "to get married."

The speed with which the Bank of Israel forwarded the debit note for the transaction to the Holland Bank Union and the lightning action by the Haifa police caught Hermoni before he was able to leave Zurich.

The police worked according to the system of "get the man first and the files later." This proved successful. Before leaving home on Monday, Hermoni left his mother a letter, telling her that the bank was sending him to the Tel Aviv branch for study. He asked her to "forgive me on the Day of Atonement."

From Tel Aviv he posted a second letter just before getting on the plane, telling his mother that he was well. "Don't worry, I'll look after myself," he wrote.

It was learned that a senior official of the Holland Bank Union's main office is due here from Amsterdam to investigate.

SAVING. — President Eisenhower has asked all Federal agencies and departments to cut the number of their employees by at least two per cent this year in an economy move.

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Burglars Beware Of Bank of Israel

Police arrived at the Bank of Israel in Jerusalem on Wednesday 2¾ minutes after the burglar alarm was sounded. A second police car pulled up in three minutes, and a third in four minutes.

It was neither real robbery nor a false alarm, but a test of police alertness.

The alarm was sounded by Deputy District Inspector Eliezer Shiloni, who greeted the patrol cars with a watch in his hand. He told the policemen, who were unaware of the test, that he was satisfied with the result.

Jerusalem police headquarters are located one block away from the bank.

'Blitz Gang' Members Formally Charged

TEL AVIV. — The three members of the "Blitz gang," who are suspected of carrying out several daylight robberies in Tel Aviv and whose leader, Rafael Blitz, is accused of killing Pinhas Piatelli in front of the Zafon Cinema last year, were on Wednesday presented with copies of the charges that will be filed against them.

Blitz is charged with causing the death of Piatelli by shooting him after an unsuccessful attempt to hold up the cinema cashier. Mordecai Weiss and Yeshayahu Burstein are charged with joining with Blitz in holding up the Frankfurter Arms Shop in Tel Aviv.

The three are to be brought before the District Court on Friday to be remanded until the beginning of their trial.

Eilat Herut Leader Robbed of Handbills

EILAT. — The Secretary of the local Herut branch told a press conference on Wednesday that he had been the victim of a "planned political robbery."

The Herut leader, Mr. Ya'acov Puntermoli, charged that a bundle of handbills which had arrived in Eilat on Tuesday and which were to be distributed on Rosh Hashana eve were stolen from his room on Wednesday while he was out. There were also signs that his private letters had been gone through, he said.

Nothing was stolen but the handbills, although IL80 and a gold watch were lying on the same table, he declared.

Police are investigating.

Politics Hinder Student Exchanges

Politics interfered with international student relations on two occasions this summer, representatives of the Technion Students Organization told a press conference in Tel Aviv on Wednesday.

In one case the Turkish Government refused to give passports to six students who were planning to come to Israel under an exchange plan, thus preventing six Israel students from going to Turkey.

The second instance concerned the conference in Peking of the International Union of Students. In order that he might join the other delegates at Prague and travel together with them to Peking, the Israel delegate applied to the Czech Consulate for a visa. The application was refused, and no final reply on the candidacy of a second student proposed was ever received. The central body of the International Union of Students (which consists mainly of student organizations in the eastern bloc) refused to intervene with the Czech authorities.

One hundred students of the Haifa Technion received practical training in 15 different countries this summer, and 62 foreign students from 19 countries came to Israel, under the student exchange plan, the press was told.

Petah Tikva Loses Cup Game Appeal

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Football Association Appeals Committee on Wednesday unanimously rejected the appeal of Petah Tikva Hapoel against the decision of the F.A. League and Cup Committee that ruled the club had lost its Israel Cup game against Tel Aviv Maccabi.

In the quarter-final encounter between the two clubs, the game ended in the 43rd minute when some Petah Tikva players attacked referee A. Dudai. The score at the time stood at 2:0, in favour of Tel Aviv Maccabi.

The Israel Cup semi-final will be played on September 20, when Tel Aviv Maccabi meet Tel Aviv Shimshon in Haifa, and Haifa Hapoel face Ramat Gan Hapoel in Jerusalem. The final will be played in Jaffa on September 27.

Zagreb Ties Prague 2:2 in European Cup

ZAGREB (Reuter). — Dynamo of Zagreb, the Yugoslav soccer champions, drew 2-2 with Dukla Prague here on Wednesday in the first leg of their first round European Cup Match. The Czechoslovak club led 1-0 at halftime.

The return match will be in Prague.

FRENCH SPRINTER CHANGES SEX

METZ (Reuter). — Claudette Mathied, 17-year-old French international sprinter, has undergone a sex operation and is now a man, hospital authorities said on Wednesday.

TOMORROW'S week-end issue of *The Jerusalem Post* will carry all the regular Friday features — Parliamentary Report about "the protest that didn't come off," Israel's Week, Middle East Scene, art reviews, literary page, entertainment roundups, home columns, etc., as well as our New York correspondent's disclosure of what went into the making of Washington's decision to send troops to the Lebanon.

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The 12-page New Year's Issue appears on Sunday:

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- **I Hid Anne Frank**
  Recollections of three years in the house on Prinsengracht in the words of Victor Kugler, "Koaler" in Anne's diary
- **Jews in Soviet Slave Labour Camps**
  The full story of Komi, one of the hidden chapters in the development of Soviet industrial potential
- **Morocco's Jewry at the Crossroads**
  No middle way between illegal emigration and possibly second-class citizenship in an Arab League state
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WHILE the threat of war and the fear of nuclear intervention hangs over the nations in the Formosa Straits, the same nations are sitting together at Geneva, exchanging knowledge of nuclear research that has up to now been most carefully guarded, and doing so in the greatest amity. It is easier, it seems, for the United Nations to assemble 5,000 of the world's leading scientists, including representatives of East and West, for the greatest scientific conference ever assembled, than to determine correctly who fired the first shot across the Syrian-Israel frontier on any particular occasion.

ATOMS FOR PEACE

The scientists are enthusiastic. The opening up of secret research files will save many years wasted on useless duplication; with world knowledge pooled, progress will be speeded up enormously. Among the scientists there is some hope that increased cooperation on atoms-for-peace may bring us rapidly to a position where atomic war will no longer appear a threat.

Despite the pleasure of the nuclear scientists in having the work of other nations made available to them, there has been some disappointment that there has not been more progress with the harnessing of nuclear fusion, or the industrial equivalent of the H-bomb process. Some progress has been made in this direction, particularly in Britain, but the prospect of making use of fusion energy is apparently still not much nearer than it was in 1955, when it was estimated at being two decades away. Nevertheless there is no fear that fission will not be developed in time, before the uranium available for fission reactors is used up—even if no other method of firing the fusion process is discovered in the meantime.

Meanwhile the U.S., Britain and, as far as is known, the U.S.S.R. have gone ahead with the construction of fission reactors for the commercial production of electricity. Total world output of nuclear-produced electricity is now in the neighbourhood of 200,000 KW, or roughly the equivalent of Israel's present power consumption. At the present time the nuclear power is produced at double the average cost in countries having cheap sources of power, including water, coal or oil, but it is estimated that in the U.S. costs will become competitive within five more years. Planned investment in nuclear energy power stations in the U.S. now stands at between one and five million dollars.

The situation for Israel is affected by the same uncertain element of finance that bedevils all our other industrial calculations. It is difficult to say exactly what our electricity costs at the present time, for this depends on the exchange rates calculated, and the amount of overhead included in the bill. The only thing that is certain is that our electricity is expensive, so expensive that nuclear production will become a commercial possibility for us long before it does so in such places as Sweden or Switzerland, where water produces cheap power. It is also believed that owing to the isolation and many protective devices that are needed for the safe production of nuclear energy only large power units will be economic, roughly in the range of our present total consumption. The chief problem now is one of timing: whether to wait a little longer before beginning to plan details, and thereby obtain an improved model, or to plunge into work at once. At the present time we have not progressed far beyond the recruiting and preliminary training of the large amount of highly skilled man-power that will be needed for this project, so much as to eat far into our resources in this respect. It is not, after all, a project in which we could afford to make the kind of mistake that has been made, not once but repeatedly, at the Dead Sea works.

Constitution For Fifth Republic

By MAURICE CARR

PARIS. — SINCE the storming of the Bastille, France has tried out no less than 13 different Constitutions, none of which proved stable. The pendulum has swung back and forth between libertarian and authoritarian régimes. The individualistic French love their freedom. But when they gain it they tend to abuse it. No sooner do they lose it, however, than they strive with might and main to recover it.

The new Gaullist Constitution, which will in all probability be approved in the forthcoming referendum of September 28, is designed to strike a balance between libertarian and authoritarian extremes and so obviate past errors.

In principle, the late unlamented Fourth Republic should have fully satisfied the democratic ideal of government of the people, by the people, for the people. The nation delegated its powers to the National Assembly which in turn voted into office and controlled the Government. In practice, this system proved disastrous, because Parliament with its multitude of factions was a house divided against itself.

Ancient Glories

Ephemeral coalitions were formed to evade rather than to carry out positive policies. Cabinets were overthrown in a sort of political game of musical chairs; every third Deputy was a former Minister, and the other backbenchers aspired to similar glory. The recurrent senseless crises brought discredit on the country. Abroad, the enemies of France exulted, her friends despaired of her. At home, disdainful coteries in the army, police and civil service took the law into their own hands. A long-festering ulcer came to a head in the Algerian uprising of May 13 last.

In the Fifth Republic, Parliament—composed of a National Assembly elected, as heretofore by universal suffrage, and a Senate elected by notables — will be a legislative body organically distinct from, yet functionally interrelated with, the Government.

No longer will the Government be an emanation of Parliament. Any Deputy or Senator entering the Cabinet must resign his seat in Parliament. The President of the Republic will nominate the Prime Minister who will then proceed to form his ministerial team.

While Parliament cannot make the Government, it alone will be able — by a vote of censure — to bring the Government down. Thus, in the last resort, the executive will be answerable for its actions to the legislature, that is, to the nation's chosen representatives.

The whole *raison d'etre* of the new Constitution is to ensure that the Government shall be free really and truly to govern, so elaborate precautions are taken against parliamentary obstructionism. For instance, when the budget is presented — and fiscal matters have always been a favourite pretext for the overthrow of Cabinets in this country — it is automatically regarded as adopted if Parliament drags out the deliberations beyond 70 days.

Final Deterrent

As a final deterrent to parliamentary frivolity, the President of the Republic has the option, after a vote of censure, to dissolve Parliament and order new general elections. With their seats at stake, Deputies and Senators may therefore be depended upon to think twice before throwing a Government out without good cause.

Parliament will meet for only six months a year, but may hold extraordinary sessions during the recesses if the Prime Minister or a majority of members so desire.

The new Constitution, which reaffirms the sanctity of human rights as set forth in the historic Declaration of 1789 and in the Constitution of the Fourth Republic, introduces an important *habeas corpus* clause outlawing arbitrary detention; at the same time, it enhances the independence of the judiciary.

This is the first of two articles.

—May Be We Could Write That He Even Stole His Face?

"Pravda" accuses the late Prof. Chaim Weismann of stealing Soviet scientific patents. From the Press
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Moscow's Picture of Israel

Hamodia (World Aguda) cannot make up its mind whether Moscow's latest note is only an attempt to show the Arabs that the Soviets are behind them, or a sign of abiding hatred for Israel. There is no use arguing with the Kremlin about it but if it had only an iota of justice and fairness, Moscow could at least listen to the heartbeats of a small country which fears for the future no less than the U.S.S.R. fears its opponents. Kol Haam (Communist) finds the Soviet note fair and charges that the Israel press has failed to inform its readers of its contents and calculatedly ignored its arguments.

Ma'ariv writes that the "Pravda" allegations against the late Dr. Weismann are additional proof of Moscow's determination to picture the State of Israel to the Russian Jews as a country of criminals, aggressors and thieves with whom contact should be abhorrent. We are above answering such charges, but it is in place to employ every possible means to bring about a debate that will force Russia to explain the basis for her hatred of Israel.

Haboker (General Zionist) denounces the arbitrary discrimination against the latest middle-class immigrants and the sudden decision to impose upon them currency exchange rates to which immigrants were never liable before. This proves once again that what the authorities want is either Jews without money or money without Jews but it is hoped that the committee appointed to review the premium decision will be able to rise above petty considerations and recommend the restoration of the exchange rate to what it was only a month ago.

Hatzofe (National Religious) declares that the Minister of Interior's bill "authorizing and obligating the local authorities to supervise cemeteries within their municipal limits" is not only an unnecessarily heavy burden upon the municipalities but a further attempt to break down the authority of the *halakha* and to remove the barriers separating Jew from non-Jew even after death.

Reacting to the reported appointment of Hanna Even-Tov to report on Ministry of Welfare questions to Mr. Ben-Gurion, **Haaretz** (non-party) writes that the posts vacated by the National Religious defection from the government must be filled sooner or later and that an appointment of this sort cannot be a substitute for a Minister.

Davar (Histadrut), **Omer** (Histadrut) and **Lamerhav** (Ahdut Ha'avoda) welcome the arrival in Israel of American Labour representatives and of the socialist leader Narayan from India and hope that this visit will help strengthen our ties with these respective countries.

Jerusalem's Forgotten Sites

By TH. F. MEYSELS

NOW that the Anniversary Season is coming to its end, the question may well be asked to what extent this tremendous effort has added to the permanent attractions of the Capital. The first item one must enter on the credit side is obviously the new "National Effort Pavilion" replacing the faded "Conquest of the Desert" exhibit in the Binyanei Ha'ooma grounds. As at the previous exhibition, the pavilion was in any case the most successful section of the Israel Exhibition.

Then we have the Tenth Anniversary Park being built with a grant received from South Africa. This new municipal garden is still far from completion, but the outlines are clear and show that a true "Lung of Jerusalem" is there in the making. The many people who have to cross this former Mamilla cemetery area on their way to and from work suffered a good deal of inconvenience for two years. Now, at least, they have a straight road, even if a very dusty one.

Speaking of sightseeing points proper, one hopes that the caves on Mamilla Common will be made accessible to the public. Even if they have no religious significance they are interesting and in any case could provide full compensation for the romantic rock-pools constructed by the former municipal gardener and now completely razed and filled up.

Mt. Zion Slopes

The slope of Mt. Zion has been most beautifully landscaped and the old excavation hole on the Mount was cleared, exposing the remarkable rock-cut foundations and cisterns of the ancient city to view. It is most sincerely to be regretted that the house-cleaning powers of the architect, Mr. Schoenberger, obviously ended on the threshold of the Zion buildings proper.

The most beautiful new thing in Jerusalem is the recently constructed Observation Platform in Abu Tor, offering a magnificent panorama of the Temple area, the classic view so often painted.

Another piece of important work that has begun with great energy has now been discontinued: the reconstruction of "Jason's Pyramid" in Rehov Alfasi. The concrete core of the pyramid was built up, but the cut-stone covering does not seem to be forthcoming. A very elegant surrounding wall with a permanently closed gate does not add much to Jerusalem's archaeological attractions.

Now we come to the important sightseeing points in Jerusalem, access to which is still denied to the public. In the closed part of the Mamilla Cemetery, just behind the Studio Cinema, stands the domed mausoleum of an Emir, one of the most remarkable Mameluke buildings in the whole country. All of its architectural sculpture, the arched gate, the corbels of the roof and most probably even the monument inside are taken from Crusader Churches. It would be easy to do some landscaping around it and to replace the high wall that bars view of it from the lane behind the cinema, by an ornamental gate, so that even if the beautiful pavilion itself cannot be made available to the public, it could be properly seen from a distance.

To return to Abu Tor, its "Church of the Catacombs," with its remarkable early Christian souterrains, has been closed ever since I remember. Arrangements should be made to open this remarkable monument to visitors at stated hours at least.

Medieval Monastery

The most important, and forgotten, medieval monument of Jerusalem, however — almost unique in the Middle East—is the Monastery of the Cross just outside Rehavia. This monastic castle has all the fascination of the famous monasteries of Mar Saba and St. Catherine which Israel's guests cannot visit. But it has even more: the Crusader Church preserves most of its medieval murals. Its walls and vaults are covered by a marvellous wealth of frescoes in the rare and curious style which united Byzantine and French elements in the 13th century. True, the paintings are badly spoilt by barbarian restorations which could be easily removed, but there remains a rich picture book of Kings and Saints, of noble ladies and Hermits, of Bible and legend, which makes use of the most surprising symbols. Among the "Good Pagans," for instance, one finds Plato, whose dim foresight of monotheism the unknown artist expressed by placing him before the cross with his eyes bound.

Every good site means the possibility of a new conducted tour, a chance to keep the tourist in Jerusalem for another half day.

SICK PRIDE OF SOUTH WINS ARKANSAS ELECTION

PROFILE: GOVERNOR FAUBUS

By a Special Correspondent

SPECIAL sessions of the Supreme Court of the United States are held only on matters of transcendent importance. The last was in 1952, called to pass on the final petition of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. Now Chief Justice Warren has again summoned his eight colleagues from all over America and from Europe to decide whether to permit the Central High School in Little Rock to open this week as a non-integrated school.

It is a matter of transcendent importance. The school has become the point of conflict where the public emotions and the powers of Federal and State Governments and conflicting views of the law and morality all come clashing together in what is the most difficult domestic problem for America in this century. And at the centre of it all is Orval Faubus.

More than anyone else, perhaps even single-handed, he was the special cause of this particular outbreak. Without him, the people of Little Rock would almost certainly have accepted the change in their school with scarcely more than a grimace of inherited and unthinking disgust.

Long Struggle

He was the cause, and he also at times seems to be the victim. The vast implications of what he has done appear to escape him. His actions initially had hardly any further motive than another move in his long struggle to raise himself out of poverty and inadequate education and obscurity.

Orval Eugene Faubus was born a poor mountain boy in 1910, near Greasy Creek in the Ozark Mountains of north-east Arkansas. The district is so far from anywhere that it never had a paved road until 1940; it was as primitive as anywhere in Europe. He attended the one-room school which was open when a teacher was available. His parents were subsistence farmers, and Faubus, by working for his living and sporadic attendance, graduated from the Huntsville High School at the age of 24.

He married at 27. He worked as a country teacher, as a farm labourer and a lumberjack, and in 1938 took his first political post when he was elected circuit clerk for Huntsville (population 1,150) which is the metropolis of his native Madison County, with an income from fees of about $2,300 a year. It could be the outline of almost any American hero.

FAUBUS

He went to the war in Europe as a soldier, served under fire, and emerged a major. But he had found his star, and he was now a professional politician. He became postmaster of Huntsville. He bought a weekly newspaper with a circulation of 3,000. He joined the entourage of a candidate for governor, and in 1950, complaining that he was penniless, was rewarded with the post of administrative assistant at $5,000 a year.

Mark of the Mountains

The mark of the mountains was still on him. He wore cheap, ready-made-down clothes. He kept a matchstick in the corner of his mouth. But he was on the inside of the party, and in 1954 he filed for the Democratic nomination in the primaries which, since Southern Republicans are only a shadow in the corner, decides who shall win the State elections.

He won the reputation of being an Arkansas-style progressive. He increased taxes and improved schools and highways. He was a moderate in race relations and the new State buildings in his Governorship were installed with joint washrooms for whites and Negroes. He was supported by the unions. He tried to halt the gentle decay of his State in which personal incomes are at half national average. In 1956 he was elected again, standing against an extreme racist, mildly opposing enforced integration and winning Negro support for his moderation.

He was no longer the hillbilly match-chewer. His suits were now discreet and dark but his speech was still littered with homely phrases that in America prove that a great man is still one of the boys. He called the Militia "the me-lish-ee." He had emerged as the complete small State politician, indifferent to national issues except when they struck close to home, ignoring foreign ones except for ritual imprecations of Communism and a mild suspicion of foreign aid.

Gross and Shrewd

He was still the horse-trading, courthouse steps, loosen-your-tie-in-the-sun sort of vote-getter. He could be gross. He had flashes of shrewdness, but no one thought him brilliant. He was avid for public popularity and read the public opinion polls as some men do their Bibles. He was a man who used principals and patronage in quiet deals over a glass of Bourbon to maintain the State, Government and his position.

His second term ends this year and a third term of Governor has happened only once in Arkansas before. The idea is generally disliked. It interferes with the independence of the State Commissions, since a six-year Governor will have appointed all of them. Faubus was not to get a Senate seat and he seemed set for discreet retirement to a good post in business. He had done fine. But he wanted more — he wanted a third term.

It was in 1957 that the local Federal judge, listening to the pleas of some Negro teachers, decided that the time had come for the Little Rock Central High School to obey the Supreme Court's decision that school segregation was not in accord with the law. The school admitted the pupils; the Governor turned out the National Guard to prevent disorders which no one believed in, and drove away the Negroes. The President brought in regular airborne troops who had to face a small unrepresentative and horrible mob inflamed by the Governor's action and the crisis was on.

Faubus' chief motive was certainly his longing for that third term. He chose an issue for himself as coldly as once did Senator McCarthy. In doing so he became the champion of the Southern anti-segregation cause — at least in Arkansas. He is not personally taken very seriously as a figure anywhere else.

Neglected Passions

He roused passions that were dying of neglect and started again the cycle of intolerance and fear. He said he had done it to prevent bloodshed. He said he and the democratic wishes of his State behind him, that strangers were trying to upset a traditional way of life, that the Supreme Court's law was bad law, that the Federal Government was for interfering in State affairs. He has maintained and strengthened his position and has got his third term.

He was re-elected by an overwhelming majority of the once-moderate State outraged by Federal military "occupation." He was re-elected by the sick pride of the South and by a conviction that lies far beyond words and coherent ideas, more sexual than economic, more fearful than proud, that the races should be kept apart. If people were appalled by the violence on their streets, there was little criticism of the Governor's purpose.

His opponents were both for segregation. But they also said the law must be obeyed and so they got nowhere. There was no discernible support for even partial integration and the few liberals in the State led lonely lives. Faubus had waved the old, bloody flag and the people, forgetting everything else, followed him.

Military Gesture

Once President Eisenhower had made his military gesture he did no more. Progress is left to the Federal courts. Each time a Negro can summon the courage to bring an action against a school board, the judge decides when integration must begin. The present case in the Supreme Court is the descendant of the one that first opened the High School.

The President would prefer to delay integration in the South rather than risk more open resistance which will now involve the closing of schools by the State. To order a military occupation to enforce the law is unthinkable. His problem is not mob violence but the massive resistance of State Governments.

And there is no way yet tried that will overcome such resistance — short of civil war. It is also true that he has begun no serious effort to discuss the problem with Southern leaders or to use his influence or to plan for the many more crises that are coming. He has lain a few respectful clichés at the problem's feet and hopes it will go away.

But Faubus has done more than bewilder a President. Many Southern leaders were beginning to believe in their hearts that integration was inevitable and resistance futile. Such men now feel safe for the foreseeable future. Faubus' success at the polls in a border State has given a clear warning that moderation does not pay and that for State office the South wants fighting segregationists.

The northern part of the party is appalled. It means that next time they meet in national convention and sit to write a "platform" or party programme, the Southerners will not even accept what they took in 1956 — that the party "recognizes the decision of the Supreme Court as the law of the land." To accept that is to recognize the imperative legality of integration.

Party Split Threatened

The Northerners who have the numbers and the most likely candidates can hardly go back on that without losing the Negro vote everywhere, the vote of all moderates outside the South and their reputation as an honourable party. It cannot again satisfy the South and a split in the party has seldom seemed more likely. If they do split, they lose the sure support of eight States and the certainties of success in the next Presidential elections begin to fade. It is no mean fulfilment of the ambitions of the man from Greasy Creek. (OPNS)

Readers' Letters

GERMAN FILMS

Editor, The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — It apparently slipped the notice of our censors, that one Gerhart Hauptmann film after another is now being shown on Jerusalem screens although the German poet was one of the first and foremost Nazis under the Hitler regime. Among other things, he wrote the words that were declaimed in praise of Hitler at the Nazi Festival in Breslau in 1933. Though he was already a man of 70 he was very active and was one of the first to hoist the Nazi flag on the roof of his house in Hiddensee.

I am not a fanatic, but, after years of discussions raised in the press about Richard Wagner and Richard Strauss — for whom Jasha Heifetz suffered hand injuries inflicted on him by two young hoodlums who had certainly never heard the names of these German composers before — I ask whether it is necessary to bring here such German films as "Fuhrmann Henschel" and "Rose Bernd."

Yours, etc.,
G. B.

(Name and Address Supplied)
Jerusalem, September 7.

PEN FRIENDS

HIRAM J. ROSOV, Chairman and Director, Audio-Visual Aids, Old Mill Road School, 1775 Old Mill Road, North Merrick, New York, U.S.A., would like to correspond with an Israeli who teaches 11-year olds.

KEEPING POSTED

THE more I think about the Shatta prison break the more it has troubled me," observed a friend. "Lives were lost and dangerous prisoners escaped to ply their trade as *fedayeen* again. But apart from that there was some familiar flavour about the whole episode. Prisoners holding the keys while the warders go out to pick maize for supper, I'd heard it before somewhere. Then I got it. If your Ferd'nand had been running the prison, that's how he would have done it."

WE have a contribution to the psychology of price-fixing from Ashkelon. It seems that a trip from Migdal to Afridar and through the new section costs 120 pruta on the bus. A Sherut taxi charges 175 pruta and takes you only as far as Afridar itself. Then came a man who had just bought a new taxi and thought he perceived a way of cornering the transport market. He calculated that he could cover all the territory served by the bus, at the same fare as the bus, and still make a profit. Perhaps he calculated wrongly, but there it was. He put a large notice on his car that he took passengers all the way to the new shikun for 120 pruta. A regular Sherut taxi rolled up and saw the new man standing empty, with quite a crowd waiting. He picked up his quota and warned them he charged 175 pruta. He reminded them he was only going as far as the Centre. "We know," they said. When they had safely started he asked them why they had not gone with the new man. "Because he must be crazy to be charging less," explained a passenger. "Do you think I would risk my life with a driver who's not right in the head?" The newcomer learnt his lesson and now charges 175 pruta and has plenty of customers. As a matter of fact he is thinking of charging 200 to see whether they will then queue up to go with him.

EARLY this week there was a pleasant little ceremony at the Brandeis Vocational Centre, where a group of 32 new printers and precision mechanics were graduated straight into the hands of eagerly waiting employers. Although they must all do their Army service first, some of them have received so many offers of jobs that they cannot decide which to accept. The thing that gave the gathering an authentic Israel flavour, however, was the fact that there were seven speakers on this occasion, or almost one to three graduates.

WE learn from the "Carolina Israelite," a one-man Jewish paper published in Charlotte, North Carolina, every time its publisher, Harry Golden, manages to write enough copy to fill an issue, that Ivy League yarmulkas are now offered by most of the religious supply houses. (Ivy league clothes are clothes suitable for wear at the Ivy League colleges of the United States, or colleges old enough to have ivy growing all the way up their buildings). These yarmulkas come in about a dozen designs, including plaids, two-toned models, reds, greys and blacks. Initials, fraternity symbols and other designs are embroidered in gold for a small extra charge. The Ivy League yarmulkas are well made with a satin lining and on the average they cost $1 a dozen.

THERE has been a surfeit of stories about psychiatrists, but we like these two. A fidgety patient comes in and begins to explain that he suffers from a feeling that he has ants crawling all over him. He rolls up his sleeves to reveal the ants and the doctor pushes him back, saying "Well, for heaven's sake, don't scatter them all over my table." The other one concerns a man who came in and said he had just one, or possibly two, questions to ask. Did the doctor think it was possible for a man to fall in love with an elephant? The psychiatrist gave the matter some thought and then opined that despite the many and curious aberrations of the human male, he had never heard of any such attachment. In that case, said the patient, did he know of anybody who might buy a rather large engagement ring?

Today's contributors include P.G., Ashkelon, and M.R., Tel Aviv.

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